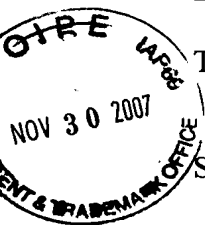


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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action, dated October 1, 2007. A Response to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A check for the extension fee in the amount of \$120 is attached. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or to credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

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